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ROLL CALL

PONIES AND OTHER CREATURES

FLUTTERSHY
FRIEND TO ALL CREATURES

DISCORD
DRACONEQUUS AND THE SPIRIT OF CHAOS

RAINBOW DASH
FASTEST PONY AROUND

ROLL CALL
ROBOTS

SOUNDWAVE
A DECEPTICON

LASERBEAK, FRENZY, RATBAT, RAVAGE
DECEPTICONS

WINDBLADE
AN AUTOBOT

MISFIRE
A DECEPTICON

--AND I SAID, "THAT'S WHY YOU DON'T EAT ORANGES IN MY CHAOS DIMENSION, BUDDY! SOMETIMES, THE FRUIT BITES YOU!"
HAHA. OH, DISCORD... YOU MAKE EVEN THE MOST UPSETTING THINGS SOUND SO FUN.
OH DEAR... I HOPE YOU'RE NOT ABOUT TO PLAY A TRICK ON ME.
WHHAMM
NEVER, MY DEAR FLUTTERSHY!
BUT I ADMIT, I AM ALWAYS FOND OF A LITTLE DISRUPTION...
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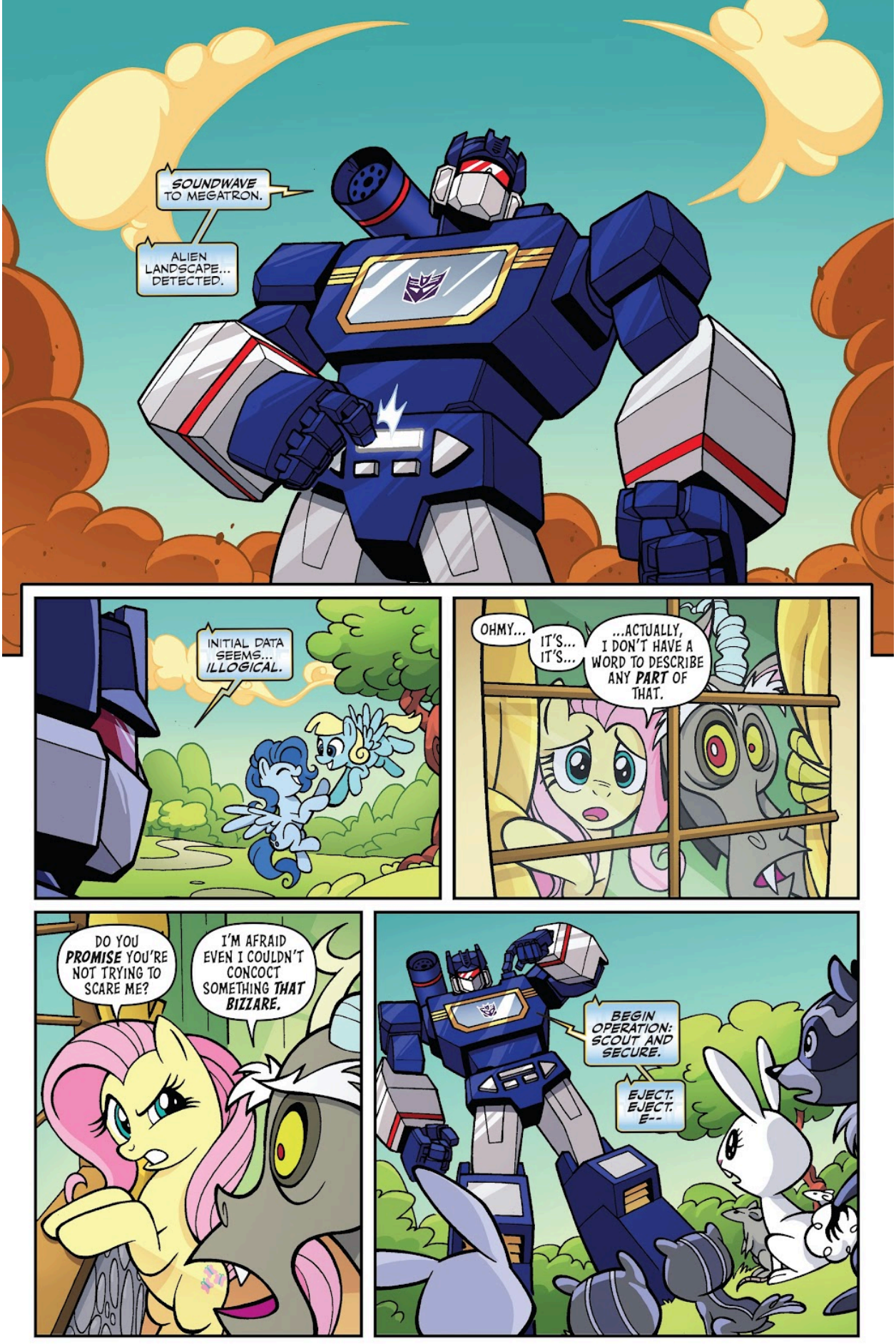
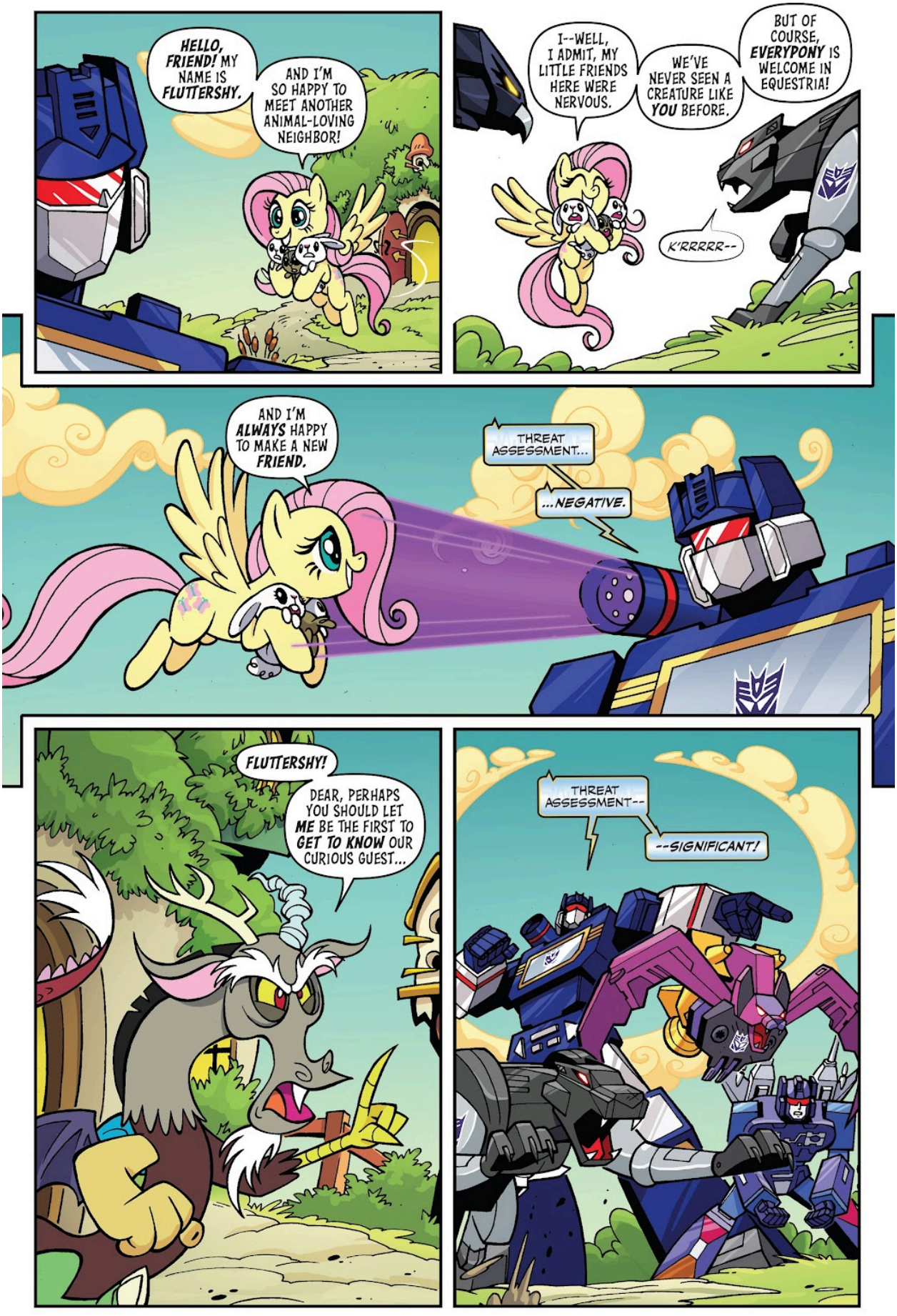

SOUNDWAVE TO MEGATRON.
ALIEN LANDSCAPE... DETECTED.
INITIAL DATA SEEMS... ILLOGICAL.
OHMY...
IT'S... IT'S...
...ACTUALLY, I DON'T HAVE A WORD TO DESCRIBE ANY PART OF THAT.
DO YOU PROMISE YOU'RE NOT TRYING TO SCARE ME?
I'M AFRAID EVEN I COULDN'T CONCOCT SOMETHING THAT BIZZARE.
BEGIN OPERATION: SCOUT AND SECURE.
EJECT. EJECT. E--

CHITTER
WHOOMP
WHOOMP
CHITTER
CHITTER
OH, LITTLE FRIENDS!
I'M GUESSING YOU SAW THE... STRANGE VISITOR, TOO?
BUT DON'T WORRY.
I KNOW OUR NEW FRIEND OUT THERE MAY LOOK SCARY--
--BUT I DON'T BELIEVE ANYPONY IS EVER ALL BAD!
AFTER ALL--
W-WHAT??
LASERBEAK.
FRENZY.
RATBAT.
RAVAGE.
DEPLOY!
--IT. HAS. PETS?!

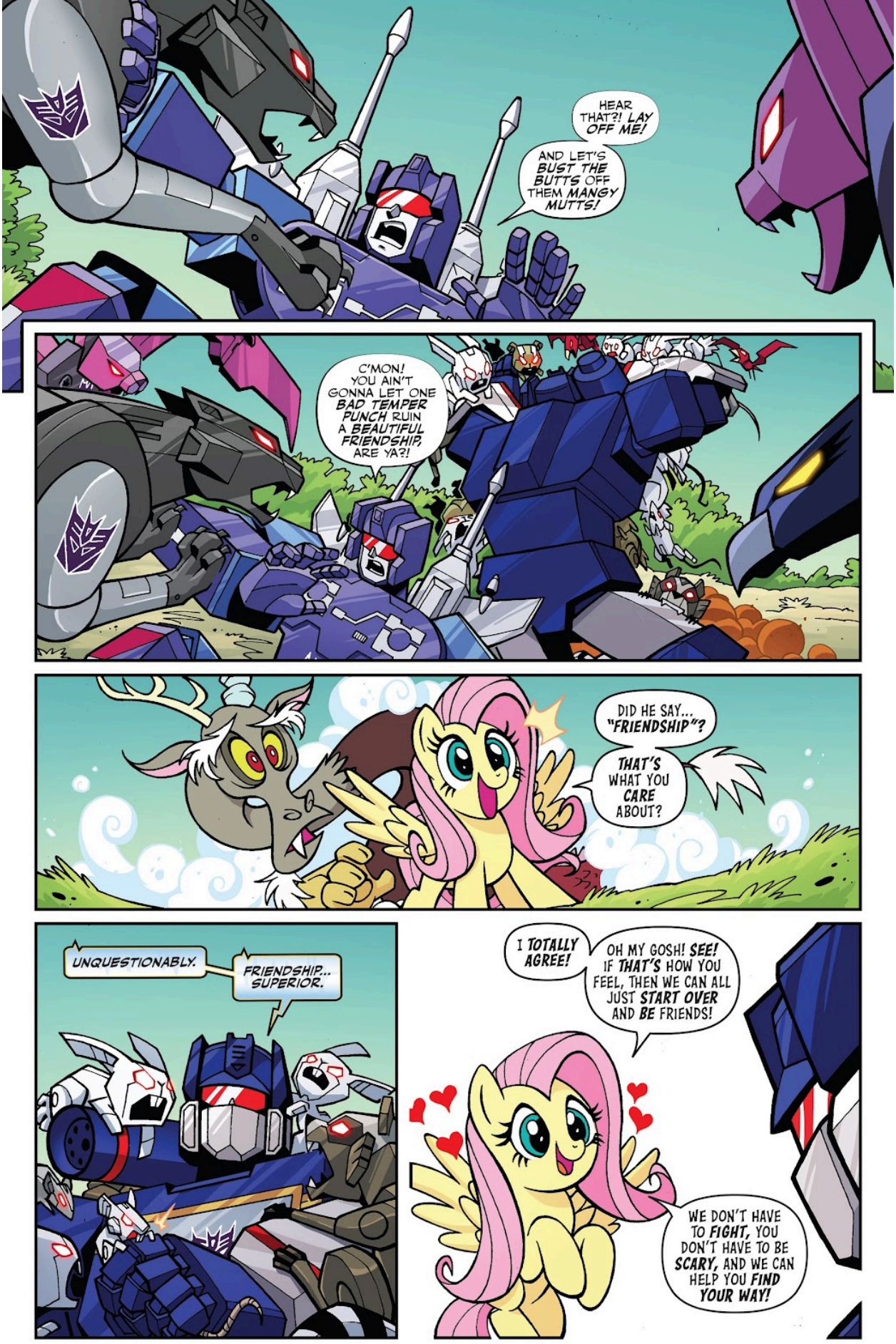

HELLO, FRIEND! MY NAME IS FLUTTERSHY.
AND I'M SO HAPPY TO MEET ANOTHER ANIMAL-LOVING NEIGHBOR!
I--WELL, I ADMIT, MY LITTLE FRIENDS HERE WERE NERVOUS.
WE'VE NEVER SEEN A CREATURE LIKE YOU BEFORE.
BUT OF COURSE, EVERYPONY IS WELCOME IN EQUESTRIA!
K'RRRRR--
AND I'M ALWAYS HAPPY TO MAKE A NEW FRIEND.
THREAT ASSESSMENT...
...NEGATIVE.
FLUTTERSHY!
DEAR, PERHAPS YOU SHOULD LET ME BE THE FIRST TO GET TO KNOW OUR CURIOUS GUEST...
THREAT ASSESSMENT--
--SIGNIFICANT!

TARGET-- ENGAGED.
ORDERS: DETAIN THE ALLIES.
HA. THE PONIES ALWAYS INSIST YOU CAN'T JUDGE A CREATURE BY THEIR LOOK--
--BUT I KNOW ANOTHER SHIFTY DECEIVER WHEN I SEE ONE!
A'RIGHT! START TALKIN', YA CANDY-LOOKIN' PACK ANIMAL.
WHAT IS THIS PLACE?! WHAT'RE ITS DEFENSES?!
WHY'S EVERYTHING SMELL LIKE LAVENDER?!
NOT THAT I MIND!
THE COMPANY HERE IS LOVELY, BUT I ALWAYS GET EXCITED WHEN THINGS--
--CHANGE!
NONSENSE. DETECTED.

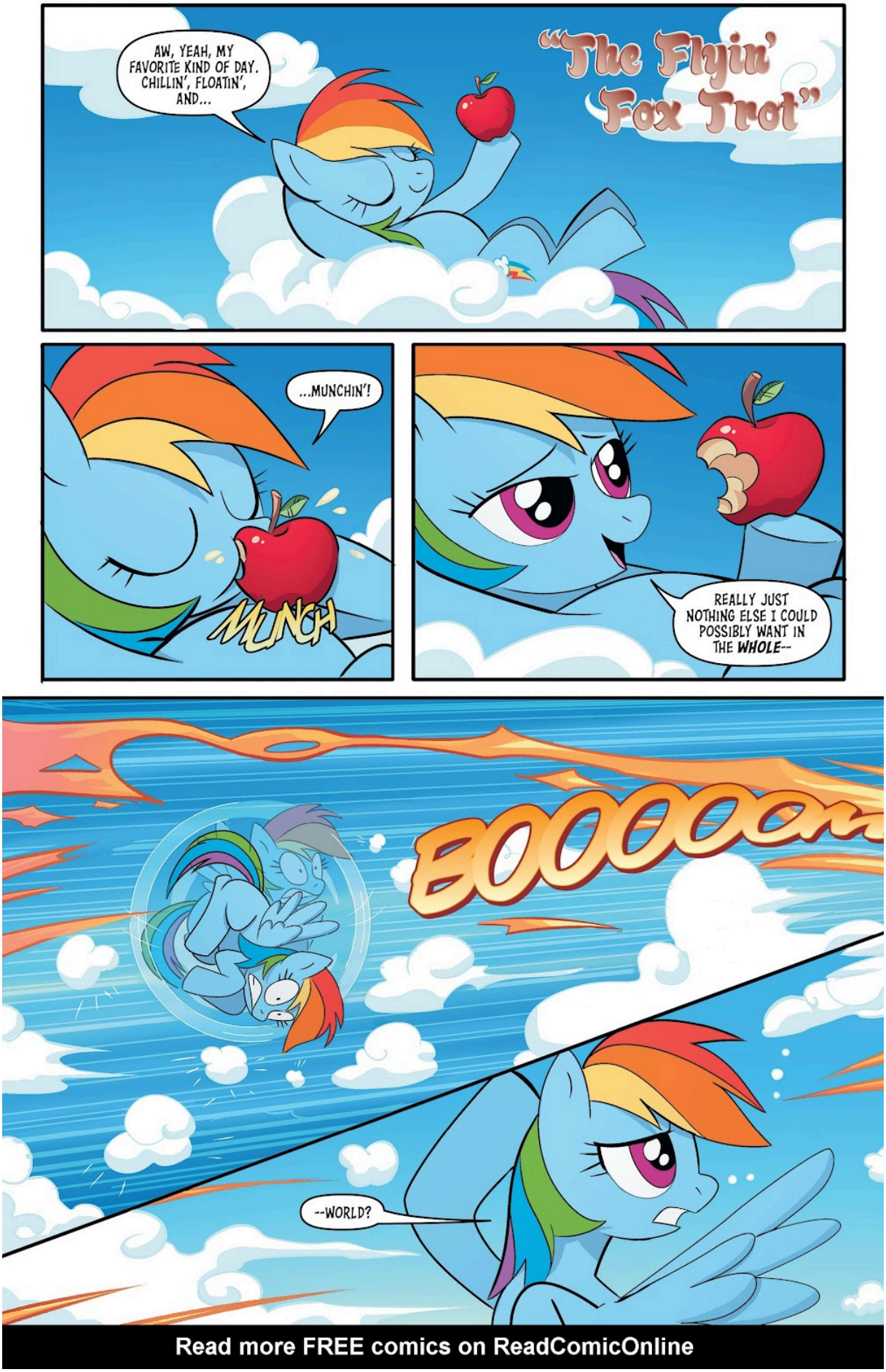
OF COURSE, YOUR TINY COMPANIONS TAKE DIFFERENT SHAPES.
SO, IF I REALLY WANT TO UNDERSTAND YOU--
--TO WALK A MILE IN YOUR HOOVES--
--I SHOULD TRY ON A FEW... ALTERNATIVE MODES.
DECREASE ABSURDITY, OR BE DEACTIVATED.
--AND MY FRIENDS AND I WERE GIVEN THE ELEMENTS OF HARMONY SO--
=GAAASSP=
--SINCE THEN WE PROTECT EQUESTRIA AND TRY TO TEACH OTHERS TO--
OH MY!
YOUR NOSE! POOR LITTLE BUDDY--YOU HAVE A BOO-BOO ON IT!
HEY. WE DON'T GET "BOO-BOOS."
THAT'S... BATTLE DAMAGE!
WELL, I'M SURE NO PONY WANTS THAT!
YEAH, YEAH--SAVE IT FOR THE MESSAGE BOARDS!
LUCKY FOR ALL OF YOU, I ALWAYS KEEP SOME "BOO-BOO CREME" FOR MY FRIENDS--
YOU KIDDIN' ME?! HEY! LEMONHEAD--!

--BACK OFF!
FWOOMP
HRRRRR... BIG MISTAKE--
"DETECTED."

I TRIED TO BE NICE!
I TRIED TO MAKE YOU FEEL WELCOME!
BUT MAYBE YOU'RE JUST ONE OF THOSE BULLIES WHO THINKS BEING MEAN MAKES OTHERS RESPECT YOU?
BUT IN MY EXPERIENCE, HAVING ACTUALLY CARED FOR SOMEPONY IS WHAT MAKES THEM STAND BY YOU.
GGRRRR--
HSSS!
HEY-- BACK OFF! YOU JERKS GET YOUR CIRCUITS CROSSED?!
POOF
ZZAP
AND THE BAD NEWS FOR YOU...?
FLUTTERSHY HAS CARED FOR ALL OF US TREMENDOUSLY.
TCHU
TCHEE
KEE
CHEE
FRENZY. RAVAGE. RATBAT. LASERBEAK.
ASSIST!


HEAR THAT?! LAY OFF ME!
AND LET'S BUST THE BUTTS OFF THEM MANGY MUTTS!
C'MON! YOU AIN'T GONNA LET ONE BAD TEMPER PUNCH RUIN A BEAUTIFUL FRIENDSHIP, ARE YA?!
DID HE SAY... "FRIENDSHIP"?
THAT'S WHAT YOU CARE ABOUT?
UNQUESTIONABLY.
FRIENDSHIP... SUPERIOR.
I TOTALLY AGREE!
OH MY GOSH! SEE! IF THAT'S HOW YOU FEEL, THEN WE CAN ALL JUST START OVER AND BE FRIENDS!
WE DON'T HAVE TO FIGHT, YOU DON'T HAVE TO BE SCARY, AND WE CAN HELP YOU FIND YOUR WAY!

OR...
...I COULD TURN YOU INTO LITTLE, PRETTY PONIES.
HEY, EH...
SORRY FOR GETTIN' A LITTLE TOO ROUGH WITH YA'...
...FRIEND?
SOUNDWAVE!
WE HAVE ESTABLISHED A SECURE LOCATION TO MOUNT OUR RAID FOR THIS WORLD'S ENERGY.
REPORT TO OUR COORDINATES!
YES, MEGATRON.
...EVENTUALLY.


"The Flyin' Fox Trot"
AW, YEAH, MY FAVORITE KIND OF DAY. CHILLIN', FLOATIN', AND...
...MUNCHIN'!
MUNCH
REALLY JUST NOTHING ELSE I COULD POSSIBLY WANT IN THE WHOLE--
BOOOOOm
--WORLD?

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LOOK ALIVE, EQUESTRIAN.
WHO ARE YOU?!
SKRAYK
NAME'S WINDBLADE.
I LIKE YOUR WINGS.
I LIKE YOUR WINGS.
WHAT'S YOUR DEAL?

I'M RAINBOW DASH, AND I'M THE FASTEST IN EQUESTRIA.
UNTIL I SHOWED UP?
STILL!
ARE YOU SURE ABOUT THAT?
I MEAN, I JUST BROKE THE SOUND BARRIER. I HAVE JET ENGINES.
SURE, BUT CAN YOU DO A SONIC RAINBOOM?
SEEMS LIKE THERE'S ONLY ONE WAY TO ANSWER--
RACE?!
RACE.

ARE YOU READY FOR THIS, SMALL HORSE?
BORN READY, BOLTS.

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SEE YOU AT THE FINISH LINE!
YES! BECAUSE THAT'S WHERE YOU'LL FIND ME WAITING!
WHAT A MOVE-- BUT LOOK AT THIS!

NO! I CAN'T LET WINDBLADE WIN!
SHOOOOM
SHE SEEMS RAD AND ALL...
...BUT I CAN'T LET DOWN MY FRIENDS!
FOR EQUESTRIA!
OH! HOW DID YOU--
RUMBLE
WAIT, DID YOU HEAR--

HEARD YOU WERE HAVING A LITTLE RACE.
DID YOU FORGET TO INVITE US?
THESE YOUR FRIENDS?
MISFIRE AND HIS GAGGLE OF FLYING DECEPTICONS? NOT ON THEIR LIVES.
THEY'RE TROUBLE. AND THEY'RE HERE TO CAUSE IT, GUARANTEED.
MISFIRE! WHAT DO YOU WANT?
IT'S SIMPLE, REALLY!
TO PROVE TO TWO DIFFERENT WORLDS THAT THE DECEPTICONS TRULY ARE THE SUPERIOR CYBERTRONIANS IN EVERY WAY...
...AND IF WE TAKE YOU DOWN IN THE PROCESS, ALL THE BETTER!

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HA!
DO THESE GUYS ALWAYS TALK LIKE DRAMA VILLAINS?
THEY ARE DANGEROUS, AND THEY HAVE THEIR SIGHTS SET ON US. WE MUST MOVE--
YOU EVER TRIED TO PULL A FLYIN' FOX TROT?
I HAVE NO IDEA WHAT YOU'RE TALKING ABOUT.
EVEN BETTER. FOLLOW ME!
NOW, THE PRINCIPLE IS REAL SIMPLE.
FIRST, YOU MAKE THEM THINK YOU'RE SLOWER THAN YOU REALLY ARE.
YOU CANNOT EVADE US, FOOL HORSE!
WHOOSH
WOW, YOU'RE SO FAST AND STRONG!
OH, FOR...
RAINMAKERS, FIRE HEAT-SEEKING MISSILES! THEY ARE TOO CLOSE TO EVADE!
THEY'RE RIGHT. WE ARE TOO CLOSE TO EVADE, NOW!
EXACTLY. GO LEFT--I'M GOING RIGHT!

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OH, SHOOT--
I THINK I LIKE THE FLYIN' FOX TROT.
NOT BAD, RIGHT?
SO. TIE?
TIE.
OW...
To be continued...

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